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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Examiner : Gerald G. Leffers, Jr.
Group : 1636
Applicants : Francis P. Tally et al.
Application No. : 09/227,687
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For : METHODS FOR IDENTIFYING VALIDATED TARGET
AND ASSAY COMBINATIONS FOR DRUG
DEVELOPMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action mailed December 30, 2003, in the above-identified application.

Kindly amend the application as follows: